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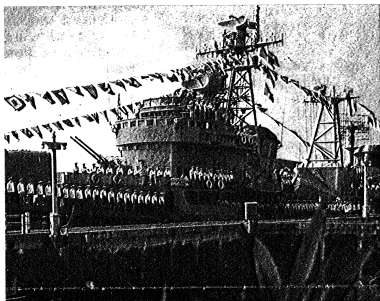
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PEOPLE'S LIBERATION ARMY NAVY OF CHINA



COMMANDER Liu Huaqing



PLA Navy commander since 1982. . . military equipment specialist . . . joined 129th Division of Communist 8th Route Army in 1937 . . . fought in Sino-Japanese War, 1937-45, and Chinese civil war, 1945-49, served under Deng Xiaoping . . . transferred to newly created Navy in 1951 . . . promoted to admiral, 1955 . . . political commissar in several naval units, circa 1953-67 . . . deputy director, National Defense Science and Technology Commission (NDSTC) and member of PLA Cultural Revolution Group, 1967 . . . criticized and purged in 1968 during Cultural Revolution; reappeared in 1970 . . . deputy chief of staff, PLA Navy, 1972 . . . deputy secretary general of Chinese Academy of Sciences, 1975-78 . . . again deputy director of NDSTC, 1978 . . . assistant chief of staff, PLA, 1979-80 . . . deputy chief of staff, PLA, 1980 . . . member, Chinese Communist Party Central Committee, 1982-85 . . . has visited United States, Bangladesh, Egypt, Yugoslavia, and United Kingdom . . . 70 years old.

POLITICAL COMMISSAR Li Yaowen

Career military officer and diplomat . . . appointed PLA Navy political commissar, 1981 . . . division political commissar, 8th Column, Third Field Army, 1947-48 . . . political commissar, 29th Army, Third Field Army, 1949 . . . Korean war veteran . . . deputy director, political department, Jinan Military Region, 1955-58 . . . political commissar, Jinan Military Region, 1958-65 . . . deputy political commissar, Jinan Military Region, 1965-68 . . . political commissar, Jinan Military Region, 1968-69 . . . vice minister of foreign affairs circa 1971 . . . Ambassador to Tanzania, 1972-76, concurrently Ambassador to Madagascar, 1973-74 . . . alternate member, Chinese Communist Party Central Committee, 1977-82 . . . political commissar, NDSTC, 1977-81 . . . member, Chinese Communist Party Central Committee, 1982 . . . 66 years old.

DEPUTY POLITICAL COMMISSARS

Fang Zhengping
Wei Jinshan
Wu Gang

DEPUTY COMMANDERS Li Jing

Appointed deputy commander in 1982. . . responsible for Naval Aviation Corps . . . deputy chief of staff, PLA Navy, 1977-82 . . . naval and air attaché to India, 1962 . . . appointed deputy commander, 1982 . . . has traveled to United Kingdom, West Germany, and France . . . 66 years old.

Zhang Lianzhong

Appointed deputy commander March 1986.

Zhang Xusan

Appointed deputy commander in 1985 . . . joined PLA in 1947 . . . deputy chief of staff, naval headquarters, Shanghai, 1980-85 . . . commanded fleet operation to Spratly Islands, 1983 . . . commandant, Nanjing Naval Academy circa 1983-85 . . . visited United States in 1976 . . . 57 years old.

CHIEF OF STAFF An Lique

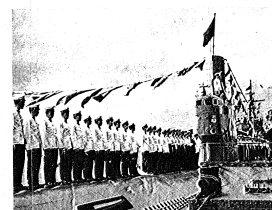
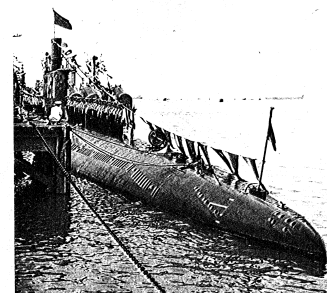
Appointed chief of staff in 1985 . . . PLA Navy deputy chief of staff, 1984-85 . . . accompanied US Naval Secretary John Lehman on tour of Wusong Naval Base, Shanghai, in August 1984 . . . has visited United Kingdom . . . 53 years old.

DEPUTY CHIEFS OF STAFF

Hu Weixing
Lin Zhen
Wang Zuyao
Yu Zhengzhong

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